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AS A THERAPEUTIC

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Examiner

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 27, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

As requested by the Examiner, submitted herewith is a new Declaration and Power of Attorney.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Declaration and Power of Attorney in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees <u>X</u> associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.
- Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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